# **Senior Center Gazette** November 2004

# Remember to Vote! Election Day, Tuesday, Nov. 2



### Annual Holiday Boutique & Sweet Shop Friday, November 5 10:00 am to 2:30 pm

Fremont Senior Center Crafts classes (including Quilting, Wood Carvers, and Crafts), plus many talented individuals have prepared wonderful items for you to view and purchase. We will also have tasty sweets and baked goods for you to eat and share with your family and friends. So get into the holiday spirit and attend the Annual Holiday Boutique & Sweet Shop on Friday, November 5!



Thursday, Nov. 11 Veteran's Day Holiday - Senior Center Closed

# Wednesday, November 10 11:30 am & Lunch Veteran's Day Celebration

We want to recognize and celebrate with all of our senior veterans. Wear your service caps, awards, shirts, etc. and join in our Veteran's Day Celebration.

# November Birthday Party Friday, Nov. 12, 1:30 pm

The Santa Clara Players will perform a one act play for a the Birthday Party celebration. Please join us for cake, ice cream, & coffee. A drawing with prizes will be held for seniors who celebrate November birthdays.

The Senior Center will be closed Thursday, November 25 and Friday, November 26 for Thanksgiving Holidays.

# COMMUNITY SERVICES

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SENIOR SERVICES	574-2050
Coordination of services for homebound seniors	
Companions for Life (Medical Alert Program)	
Local van group trips for shut-ins	574-2082
Tri-City Elder Coalition	
LIFE ELDERCARE	574-2090
Caregivers Support	574-2035
Home Services Registry	574-2095
Meals on Wheels	574-2092
Friendly Visitor Program	574-2097
TRANSPORTATION ASSISTANCE	
AC Transit Information*	511
City of Fremont Paratransit Program	574-2053
East Bay Paratransit Program1-	800-555-8085
HOUSING ASSISTANCE(OFFICE OF NEIGHBORHOODS)	494-4500
LEGAL ASSISTANCE FOR SENIORS1-	800-393-0363
SOCIAL SECURITY1-8	800-SSA-1213
MEDICARE1-	800-952-8627
MEDICARE & INSURANCE COUNSELING(HICAP)	839-0393
TRI-CITY HEALTH CLINIC	
SENIOR LIBRARY SERVICES745-149	9 or 745-1491
SENIOR PEER COUNSELING	574-2063
ALZHEIMER ASSOCIATION HOTLINE1-	

\*511 is a new toll-free voice activated phone service. Call 511 for information on AC Transit BART, road conditions and trip planning.



### Happy Thanksgiving to All!

Chef Riley will be preparing a Special Thanksgiving Luncheon Tuesday, November 23, 1 pm With Roasted Turkey, Stuffing Mashed Potatoes & Gravy, Cranberry Sauce, Vegetable, Salad, Roll, & Pumpkin Pie

\$5 - Senior Center Members \$6 - non-members over 55 \$7 - "youngsters" under 55

# Flu Shot Day - Big Success!!

Thanks to our terrific volunteers and Sutter VNA who helped with Flu Shots this year. We were fortunate to receive vaccine for over 360 people. No one was turned away who was 65 or older or had a Center for Disease Control exception.

Help Decorate the Senior Center for the Holidays! Tuesday, Nov. 30, 10 am-2 pm Hot cider & cookies served

#### November Speakers

Tuesday, November 9, 1 pm Dr. Gary Basrai Prescription Medication Seminar Drug Interactions & Side Effects

Dr. Basrai owns several local pharmacies including Haller's Medical Pharmacy, Mowry Medical Pharmacy and Newark Pharmacy. His talk will focus on drug interactions & side effects & related issues. Participants are welcome to bring in prescriptions they take to ask questions.

Tuesday, November 30, 1 pm Senior Smoke Alarm Safety Fremont Fire Department What you should know about fire protection in your home.

### Looking Forward to December:

Friday, Dec. 10, 1:30 pm Birthday Party with Singers from Senior Center Singers & Mission San Jose High School.

Monday, Dec. 20, 9:00 am Grandparent's & Grandchildren's Breakfast with Santa and the Prince of Peace Hand Bell Chair

The Senior Center will be closed for a holiday break on Tuesday, December 21 and reopening on Monday, January 3, 2005



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